Remarks/Arguments

This filing responds to the Office Action of 16 June 2005 (the "Action"). With the Action, Claims 1-49 are allowed and claims 50-52 are rejected. By this filing, Applicant has canceled Claims 50-52, without prejudice, waiver or disclaimer.

The insertion of the paragraph specified in the amendment to the specification is intended to clarify the nature of the priority claim, the inclusion of which does not expand the scope of the invention and thereby create new matter.

To overcome Examiner objections, Applicant submits replacement pages for Figures 9A, 9B, 9C, and 9D, sheets 9 of 12 through 12 of 12. Applicant has added no new matter.

CONCLUSION

Applicant submits that, in view of the foregoing remarks and/or amendments, the Application is in condition for allowance, and respectfully requests reconsideration and favorable action.

Applicant has attached a Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038). If, for any reason, that Form is ineffective in connection with this filing, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees (including excess claims and extension fees), additional fees, or underpayments, or to credit any overpayments, to the undersigned attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-1001; provided, however, that such fees, underpayments or overpayments must arise solely in connection with this Amendment and Response.

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